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**Re: Freedom of Information Act Request**

Dear Freedom of Information Act Officer:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 U.S.C. § 552 et seq., we hereby request that the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") Region 9 provide us with the following public information and records:

1. Copies of any and all **non-confidential** documents regarding any notice of deficiency for any pending Class VI Underground Injection Control ("UIC") well permit application(s), including but not limited to emails, letters, notices, responses, reports or notes.

We would prefer electronic copies of the requested documents. **We are not requesting any documents which the agency asserts are confidential or privileged.** If there are any fees associated with producing the requested information, please inform us if those fees will exceed \$200.00.

I would request a prompt response to this request. If you expect a significant delay in responding to or in fulfilling this request, please contact me with information about when I might expect copies of the records.

I may be reached by email at [brian.lynch@bakerbotts.com](mailto:brian.lynch@bakerbotts.com) or by phone at 512.322.2608 for any questions or for additional information, as needed, in order to help expedite the process.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Brian Lynch". The signature is stylized with a large "B" and "L".

Brian Lynch  
Paralegal